

NAFIS Board of Directors Slate of Candidates

At the January 2020 NAFIS Board of Directors meeting, the NAFIS Nominating Committee announced its slate of candidates for the Board of Directors. The slate includes:

Secretary:

Keith Mispagel, Superintendent
Fort Leavenworth Unified School District
#207, Kansas
(Military)

Treasurer:

Ray Proctor
Associate Superintendent, Business Services
Fallbrook Union Elementary School District,
California
(Military, Mid-to-Low LOT, Federal Lands)

Region II Director:

Jason Rogers
Assistant Superintendent, Operations
Bryan County Schools, Georgia
(Military, Mid-to-Low LOT)

Region IV Director:

Trista Hedderman, Business Manager
Douglas School District #51-1, South Dakota
(Military)

Region VI Director:

Tom Addington, Superintendent
Central Union Elementary School District,
California
(Military, Indian Lands)

At-Large Director 2:

Rosemarie Kraeger, Superintendent
Middletown Public Schools, Rhode Island
(Military, Mid-to-Low LOT)

At-Large Director 4:

Quincy Natay, Superintendent
Chinle Unified School District 24, Arizona
(Indian Lands)

Board members Chad Blotsky (President, Indian Lands), Tom Schneider (Vice President, Federal Lands), Jim Sarruda (Immediate Past President, Mid-to-Low LOT, Military), Helen Payne (Region I, Military), Wendell Waukau (Region III, Indian Lands), Jeff Limore (Region V, Indian Lands), Craig Hutcheson (At-Large Director 1, Federal Lands), Voyd St. Pierre (At-Large Director 3, Indian Lands) and Brian Gallup (School Board Liaison, Indian Lands) will continue to serve in their roles.

Floor nominations are allowed after the Nominating Committee makes its report to members during the First General Session of the NAFIS Spring Conference. The guidelines for making a floor nomination are:

1. Any delegate, by identifying himself or herself and as a representative of a NAFIS member school district, can nominate a representative of a member school district to be a candidate for a position on the NAFIS Board of Directors.
2. The nomination will include the individual's name, the school system he/she represents and the type of federal impactation it experiences.
3. The nominee will be given three minutes to present any information about himself/herself and why he/she is interested in serving on the NAFIS Board.
4. The Nominating Committee's candidate will also be given three minutes to present any information about himself/herself.

If there is a floor nomination, the NAFIS membership will vote by ballot over that afternoon and morning, and the winner will be announced at the conference luncheon on March 16.

If there is not a floor nomination, the NAFIS membership will vote by acclamation during the First General Session on March 15.